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SUBJ: BOUGAINVILLE SEPARATISM

1. PRESS AND RADIO REPORT BOUGAINVILLE PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY
VOTED MAY 30 BY A LARGE MAJORITY TO SECEDE FROM PNG. REASONS
GIVEN WERE A) REFUSAL OF GPNG TO GO TO BOUGAINVILLE TO DISCUSS
MEANINGFULLY THE CENTRAL WORKS PROGRAM FOR BOUGAINVILLE AND
B) CHANGES MADE BY THE CENTRAL GOVERNMENT IN DRAFT CONSTITUTION,
PARTICULARLY REGARDING PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT.

COMMENT: RADIO REPORT STATING BOUGAINVILLE WOULD GO THROUGH
WITH SECESSION UNLESS CENTRAL GOVERNMENT AGREED TO ITS DEMANDS
SUGGESTS THAT THIS MAY BE ONLY ANOTHER TACTICAL MANEUVER.
AT A MINIMUM, HOWEVER, IT INDICATES THE KINDS OF PRESSURES
THE CHIEF MINISTER IS NOW FACING.

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